How to change front windshield wipers on **Audi A3 8L1** – replacement guide

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Important!

This replacement procedure can be used for:
AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 1.6, AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 1.8, AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 1.8 T, AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 2.6, AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 2.8, AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 1.9 TDI, AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 1.8 quattro, AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 1.8 T quattro, AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 2.6 quattro, AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 2.8 quattro, AUDI A3 Hatchback (8L1) 1.6, AUDI A3 Hatchback (8L1) 1.8, AUDI A3 Hatchback (8L1) 1.8 T, AUDI A3 Hatchback (8L1) 1.9 TDI, AUDI A4 B5 Avant (8D5) 1.9 TDI quattro, (+ 8)

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

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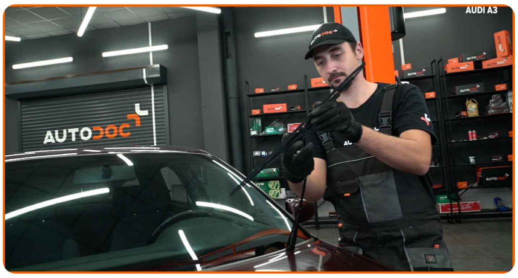
- Always replace front wiper blades together. It will ensure efficient and uniform cleaning of the windshield.
- Don't confuse the wiper blades of the driver and passenger side.
- The replacement procedure for both wiper blades is identical.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

REPLACEMENT: WINDSHIELD WIPERS – AUDI A3 8L1. USE THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURE:

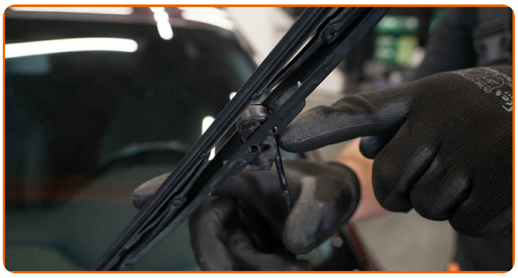
1 Prepare the new windscreen wipers.



2 Pull the wiper arm away from the glass surface until it stops.



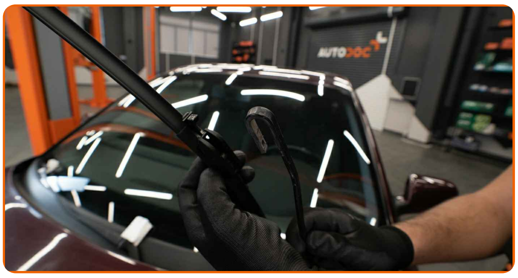
3 Press the clip. Remove the blade from the wiper arm.



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- When replacing the wiper blade, take caution to prevent the spring-loaded wiper arm from hitting the glass.

4 Install the new wiper blade and carefully press the wiper arm down to the glass.



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- Don't touch the wiper blade at the working rubber edge to prevent damage to the graphite coating.
- Ensure that the blade rubber strip fits tightly to the glass along the entire length.

5 Switch on the ignition.

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Pull the windscreen wiper stalk to the downward position.



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After installation check the wipers performance. The blades shouldn't intersect or bump against the windshield seal.

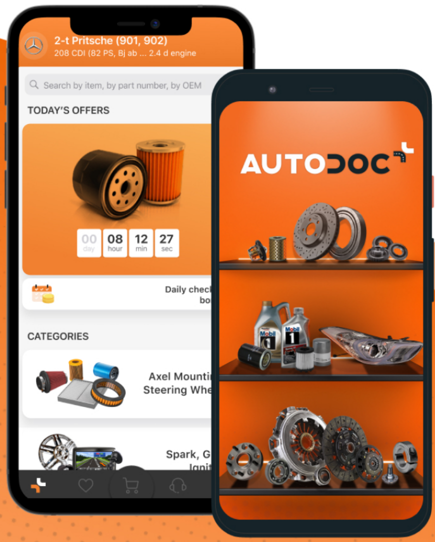


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